

second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

The following message from His Excellency Governor Veasey, was received by the hands of Thomas Culbreth, Esqr. Clerk of the Council.

Which was read and referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates.

Executive Department,

Annapolis, March 15th, 1836.

Gentlemen of the Senate, and

Of the House of Delegates,

Under the Resolutions of the General Assembly making appropriations for repairs and improvements of the Public Building within the State House Circle, and the wall and grounds surrounding the same; after giving the required notice for proposals, contracts were made by the late Executive with Messrs. Thompson and Joy, and Vachel Severe, for the execution of so much of said improvements as could be made with the sum appropriated, and Doctor Dennis-Claude and Jeremiah Hughes and George Wells, Esqrs. were appointed to superintend said improvements.

The accounts of the contractors have not yet been finally settled, but, by the general statement of the Superintendants herewith transmitted, it will be seen that the amount appropriated is nearly exhausted, and that to continue and complete the improvements, upon the plan of what has been done, will require a further appropriation, which we respectfully recommend to your favorable consideration.

We have the honor to remain,

With the highest respect,

Your Obedient Servant's,

THO. W. VEAZEY.

The clerk of the House of Delegates delivered the following messages:

By the House of Delegates,

March 15, 1836.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We return to you the bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act for the preservation and repair of that part of the United States Road within the limits of the State of Maryland, with the amendments originally adopted by this house, but which have been dissented from by your honorable body, and most respectfully ask of your honorable body that you will re-consider and adopt said amendments.

By order,

G. G. Brewer, Clk.